

REMARKS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Formal Matters

Claims 1, 6-8, 13, 14, 19-22, and 25- 26 are pending after entry of the amendments above.

Claims 2-5, 9-12, 15-16, and 21-24 are canceled without prejudice.

Claims 1, 7, 8, 13, 14, 22 and 26 are amended. Support for these amendments is found in the specification and claims as originally filed.

The specification is amended to insert an abstract. Support for the abstract is found in the specification at page 3, line 31 to page 4, line 6.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the amendments and remarks made herein.

No new matter has been added.

Conclusion

Applicant submits that all of the claims are in condition for allowance, which action is requested. If the Examiner finds that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees associated with this communication, including any necessary fees for extensions of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0815, order number UCAL-253US1.

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